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United States Department of Agriculture,

OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY.

FEDERAL HORTICULTURAL BOARD.

ORDER COVERING ADMISSION OF FOREIGN COTTON LINT UNDER
RESTRICTION.

The Secretary of Agriculture has determined that the unrestricted importation of cotton lint, baled or unbaled, grown in Europe, Asia, Africa, South America, North America outside of the United States, and foreign oceanic countries and islands, may result in the entry into the United States, its Territories and Districts, of injurious insects, including the pink boll worm (*Gelechia gossypiella*).

Now, therefore, I, DAVID F. HOUSTON, Secretary of Agriculture, under authority conferred by section 5 of the act of Congress approved August 20, 1912, known as the plant-quarantine act (37 Stat. L., 315), do hereby determine and declare that on and after July 1, 1915, cotton lint, baled or unbaled, imported or offered for import into the United States or any of its Territories or Districts from the foreign countries and localities named and from any other foreign localities or countries, shall be subject to all the provisions of sections 1, 2, 3, and 4 of said act of Congress.

Done at Washington this 27th day of April, 1915.

Witness my hand and the seal of the United States Department of Agriculture.



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D. F. Houston

Secretary of Agriculture.







